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## News of the Day.

Gen. Grant was in Indianapolis yesterday, Brig. Gen. Revere died at Morehead city, Ind., yesterday.

The State Geologist of Minnesota reports inexhaustible quantities of quartz on the north shore of Lake Superior.

Thirty thousand dollars reward is offered for the arrest of the robbers of the bank in Concord, Mass., and the recovery of the money stolen.

The investigation into the management of the Pay Department in the West, has entirely exonerated Paymaster Holt from the charges against him, he has resumed his duties in the Department.

Hon. C. DeWitt Smith, acting Governor of Idaho, died suddenly of heart disease, on Saturday, the 19th of August. This leaves Idaho without either Governor or Secretary for the time being.

General Hancock, in his speech to the Odd Fellows at Baltimore, indulged in some very complimentary language to the Administration. The General thinks that Maximilian's persistence in holding on to the throne will inevitably lead to war, sooner or later.

A Washington dispatch says the Attorney General has decided not to consider applications for pardon in the future from persons who have domiciled outside the territorial limits of the United States. They are to return and submit themselves in good faith to the action of the Government.

Mrs. Mary L. Longstreet, wife of the rebel General Longstreet, was pardoned Saturday by the President. It is said that at the beginning of the war her husband, for fear that the rebellion might prove a failure took the precaution to make all his property to his wife.

M. Navarro, the Mexican Consul at New York, has published documents indicating his return from Juarez and Rome. The Mexican Minister at Washington, showing that Juarez has established his capital at El Paso, and that the prospects of the Liberal cause are hopeful.

Counterfeiter \$5 bills on the First National Bank of Indianapolis were put in circulation in Nashville yesterday. Counterfeiting is a great contrifiction of a genuine note, they go to a certain point and "shove" a large amount of it before the character of the note is detected. This accounts for the appearance of the counterfeit in Nashville. The counterfeiting may have been done in Mexico.

Hon. Jabez L. M. Curry, of Alabama, who was a member of Congress up to the period of secession, and who afterwards sat in the Congress of the Confederate States, has become a Baptist clergyman. A correspondent of the New Orleans Picayune has just published a letter from Rev. Mr. Curry, in which he says himself "that the Bible had long been his principal study--a study much more congenial to his own pure and exalted nature than the political contests with which his name has been usually associated."

Governor Borenian has issued an address defining the duty of inspectors to elections in West Virginia, prior to the date of his election. A ten o'clock exists by act of the Legislature, and the same is submitted for ratification as a part of the Constitution. The legality of this oath having been questioned, Gov. Borenian declares that when a person offering a vote, certifies to the cause of secession by the law of February 25, 1865, it is the duty of the Inspectors to require of him the production of the affidavit thereto prescribed, before permitting him to vote. In this opinion the Governor is supported by the Attorney General.

A dispatch from Montgomery, dated 25th, advised that no good progress had been made in the discussion on the two reports by the committee on the secession ordinance. The majority report declared the ordinance was wholly unauthorized, and now and all times null and void. The minority report was amended so as to provide for the cause of secession, ex-ordinance, and null and void. After several votes on collateral questions, the conservatives "caved in," and the majority report was adopted unanimously. The fight was between the decided Union men and the conservatives. Some interesting facts concerning the "secession" and "politics" of the Convention will be found in an extract of a letter to the Chicago Tribune, from Montgomery, published below.

The trial of Murphy, one of the boat-burners, will doubtless fully establish the fact that there was an organized gang of these incendiaries in the pay of the rebel government and operating under the directions from Richmond. One of the most notorious Fugitives was put on the witness stand, on Friday, and testified that he and two others of the gang, named Clarke and Dillingham, went to Richmond last summer, and that Clarke received \$50,000 in gold upon their arrival, and a sum equal to that for some "land business" that had been done. The "land business" was the destruction of Government warehouses, and among them was mentioned the burning of the medical depot, on Main street, in this city, last summer. The destruction by fire of the medical depot, warehouses at different points last spring, will, no doubt, be accounted for in this way.

There is no escaping the logic of such facts as the "Sea Islands" and a hundred other localities where freedmen are enjoying the fruits of their own labor, present. But this is almost wholly ignored by the entire body of Southern "reconstructors." They all advocate the necessity of special coercion by legal enactment, of the freedmen. They are recently become bold, and so far as I have been able to ascertain, are quite engaged in the pursuits of self rule. Gen. Longstreet, so famed as a fighter, who always commanded the choice troops of Lee's army, is in Baltimore, where he is sojourning for the benefit of his health, which is greatly impaired by constant residence in the battle of the Wilderness. Early, and McCausland, who burnt Chambersburg, are in Mexico; Mesby, the guerrilla, is practising law in Culpepper; Pickett, Hampton, Fields, Ransom, Wise, and Lee, other names in the list, as well as myself, are in the South, in various parts of the country, with little figures runnin' up all round it, and a chap at the top." "Trajan's column," suggested the artist. "P'raps it may be; and I wish you'd see me not just another, a poor boy, sellin' matches, and by lucky speculation had attained his present gigantic gressus." "Now," he continued, "the negroes are in the same place as suits my views to a nicely. A kinfolkin' with little figures runnin' up all round it, and a chap at the top." "Trajan's column," suggested the artist. "P'raps it may be; and I wish you'd see me not just another, a poor boy, sellin' matches, and by lucky speculation had attained his present gigantic gressus." "Now," he continued, "the negroes are in the same place as suits my views to a nicely. 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LOST—CHILD—ABOUT TEN DAYS AGO A LIKELY little black boy named Peter, now dead, was lost in the vicinity of First and Green streets, while passing through the city. His body was found in a hole in the ground in Shadwell, Ky. A liberal reward will be paid for his delivery to J. W. Shockley, Second street, between Market and Jefferson, Louisville, Ky. Mrs. SOPHIA LYLE.

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#### Ordinance of Secession Wholly Unauthorized.

#### The Wirz Trial—Proceedings of Yesterday.

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#### An Outbreak Feared—Precautions of the Police.

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The Coming Session of Congress.

Contest for the Speakership Begun

during the commanders of sub-districts, and all officers serving within the Military District of Charleston, to assist in the organization of a militia force, to be home-ported to the interior cities of district and sub-district commanders of the United States troops, for the preservation of order and the arrest of lawless characters.

Each member of this militia force is required to take the oath of allegiance to the United States, and shall bear a good character.

The South Carolina Convention has refused to allow negroes to form a part of the militia of the representation.

Northern mail was received by the land route in Charleston in seven days from New York, Boston and Cincinnati.

MONTGOMERY, ALA., Sept. 25.—An ordinance declaring the act of secession null and void was unanimously adopted by the Alabama State Convention to-day after having been debated the entire day.

MEMPHIS, Sept. 26.—Merriman's jewelry store was broken open last night and robbed of thirty thousand dollars' worth of jewelry.

Cotton yesterday—Receipts, 500 bales; sales, 200 bales at about 36c.

CINCINNATI, Sept. 26, M.—The river has fallen 18 inches. There is 18 feet 8 inches in the channel.

RIVER MATTERS.

### ARRIVALS.

OFFICE OF THE LOUISVILLE UNION PRESS, TUESDAY EVENING, September 26.

Mem. Anderson, Cincinnati; Sandy Valley, Madison; Empor., Cincinnati.

St. Patrick, Memphis; R. L. Woodward, Eastport; Morning Star, Henderson; Pittsburg; Stat.

### DEPARTURES.

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The river was slowly falling last evening, with seven feet on the 24th, and five on the 25th. During the previous week it had fallen two inches at the head of the falls, and six inches at Portland. The weather was pleasant in the morning, with the thermometer at 75, but in the evening it turned much warmer.

On the falls last evening there were five feet water, and the pass, down the Indiana side, was falling.

At Cincinnati at noon yesterday the river had fallen 18 inches.

The Mississippi at Cairo, on the 23d, had risen 15 inches, with the arrival of the Norman and Marmora from Memphis, destined for the port of Capt. Tom Leathers, and others, for the New Orleans and Vicksburg trade.

She is most admirably adapted to that trade, and is to leave New Orleans every Saturday.

The beautiful Rose Hite is loading at the city wharf for St. Louis, to which port she starts this evening, in charge of the veteran Capt. Frank Hervey.

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